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Re: Allowed U.S. Utility Patent Application  
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For: **Axle Driving System**  
Inventors: **ABEND et al.**  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. Submission of Replacement Drawings;
2. Copies of Replacement Drawings (FIGS. 1-23); and
3. Return postcard.

It is respectfully requested that the attached postcard be stamped with the date of filing of these documents, and that it be returned to our courier. In the event that extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned.

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Submitted herewith are twenty-three sheets of Replacement drawings with Figures 1-25, corresponding to the above-captioned application. Identification of the drawings is provided in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(c). Acknowledgment of the receipt, approval, and entry of these drawings into this application is respectfully requested.

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